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TOWN AND COMMUNITY.

Local Brieflets About Some People You Know.

Manv Short Items Concerning the Happenings of The Week.

Emmet Cox, of Walker valley was in town Sunday.

J. M. Perkins, of Branscomb, was an arrival here Sunday.

Jas. H. Fish, of Branscomb, was a visitor to our town Sunday.

Hugh Craig, of Iverson, was in town this week on Jury duty.

Silas Blake came down from Potter on business one day nhis week.

Alf Howard was over from Westport Saturdav greeting old friends.

J. H. Rafter was on jury services in Ukiah this week from Cuffeys Cove.

Supervisor-elect, R. H. Rawles was in from Boonville attending to business.

John Remstead came in from Comptche on business the latter part of last week.

W. T. Saxon, W. H. and S. S. Baechtel were in town this week doing jury duty.

The teachers' examination for certificates will begin Monday, December, 10th, 1900.

J. H. Shibley, one of the trial Jurors for this term of court, was here from Miller this week.

Henry Villard, known thruout the west as a great railroad builder and operator is dead.

A. Frost and wife and Mrs. J. A. Taylor, of Willits, were guests at the Palace last Friday.

J. K. Bigelow was in town from Eden Valley Saturday. He was registered at the Grand.

John Gavin, Will Pickle and Charley Hopkins were down from Potter last Monday on business.

J O. McSpadden and George Miller, of Boonville were visitors in town last Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Marvin Luce presented her husband with an 8 pound boy last Thursday morning.

Artie Upp and wife came down from Willits the last of the week on business and pleasure.

J. L. Mathews, of Eden Valley and Sam Mathews, of Salinas, were guests at the Palace last Monday.

Supervisor Flanagan came over Sunday from Mendocino to be in readiness for the meeting of the Board.

Supervisor Simonson and road overseer A. J. Smith were among the Willits people taking in the county seat last Monday.

The literary section of the Epworth League society of the M. E. Church, South, is having interesting meetings every evening.

Mrs. Grace Hudson of this city departed Sunday for San Francisco. Later she will proceed to Honolulu, where she goes to pursue her art work.

Thos. McGough, of Boonville, has leased his ranch in Anderson valley and has removed with his family to San Francisco where they will reside for the present.

Superior Judge Crump, of Lake County, who was in Ukiah a short time ago trying case, has made a fine record during his four years incumbency. Not one of his decisions has been reserved by the Supreme Court. The sustained three of his decisions last week.

E. and A. Frost were down from Willits Monday.

J. W. Painter was down from Willits the first of the week.

A. T. Branscomb of Laytonville was in town this week.

John Dill and Miss Nettie Dill were down from Laytonville last Monday.

Fay Dryden was in rrom Hearst last Saturday with a load of produce.

R. J. Rawles, of Boonville, was a guest at the Palace Sunday night.

Ben Bever, of Mendocino, was on the list of trial Jurors in town this week.

Joseph Robinson and wife, of Albion, were guests at the Grand Monday.

Clem Heryford, of Boonville, was in attendance upon the court here this week.

G. W. Jarvis, of Mendocino, was in attendance upon the Superior Court as a Juror this week.

The English boys and Sanford Redwine were down from Covelo this week attending to business.

E. F. Bouton, one of the prominent citizens of Noyo spent the first days of this week at the county seat.

Mrs. C. Hofman and son have returned fram a visit to the family of D. Lobree in Middletown, Lake County.

J. V. Ray, the Potter valley stockman, shipped 17 head of horses below this week to be sent to the Hawaiian islands.

W. J. Mosier, one of Mendocino county's entereprising citizens has removed from Potter Yalley to Willits, his former home.

The oil fever is raging at Berryessa valley in Napa County. The Monticello Oil Company hes been organixed with a capital stock of $400,000.

For graceful posing, artistic effects and up to date work, go to the San Francisco artist next door to the DISPATCH office, on School Street.

J. E. Singley, of Boonville, spent several days in Ukiah this week. He was here to aid the Superior Court in meting out Justice, as a Juror.

A. M. Duncan came up from San Francisco Tuesday to attend the meeting of the Board of Supervisors. Mr. Duncan has not yet decided whether he will resign as Supervisor.

The deficiency in the Post Office Department for the fiscal year ending June 30th 1900, is $4, 894, 718. The receipts for stamps, postal cards etc. during the year were $94, 013,-699.

Bert Adams and Tom Force have been busy for a few days cleaning up and repainting the Palace office room. When it comes to painting Bert is quite an artist and has materially added to the appearance of the hotel.

The Lake County Teachers Institute passed a resolution requesting the State Board of Education to withdraw the present State History, and to furnish a new book which "should at least be intelligible to the average scholar."

The lecture of Jay William Hudson at the Presbyterian church last Friday night on "The Passion Play," was very interesting and well delivered, but the introduction was too long. The lecturer should have reached Oberammergau quicker.

W. H. Baechtel has been appointed school trustee of Eden Valley district by Superintendent Barbee. Mr. Baechtel is now clerk of the board and it may be expected that all the school Ma'ams in the county will soon be corresponding with William.

The DISPATCH has added a number of new names to the subscription list since the election. People, regardless of party, desire the news and know that they can get it thru the columns of this paper. Advertisers should note this fact and place their ads where they will be seen and read by the most people. The DISPATCH is the largest and most widely read paper in the county.

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NEW VESSELS FOR NAVY

Programme For 1901 Involves Building of Thirty-two Ships.

FIVE FORMIDABLE BATTLESHIPS.

Designs Will Form a New 15,000 Ton Class—Total Displacement of Vessels on the List Is 151,600 Tons, or More Than Double That of Any Other Year.

As finally adopted the other day, the United States naval increase programme for 1901 involves the construction of 32 vessels of 151,600 tons displacement, or more than double that laid down in any preceding war, says a Washington dispatch to the New York Tribune. The list which congress is to be asked to authorize is as follows:

Three 15,000 ton battleships, two 15,000 ton armored cruisers, six 2,000 ton gunboats, six 600 ton gunboats, ten 200 ton gunboats, three 15,000 ton colliers, one 7,000 ton repair ship and one 7,000 ton marine transport. It will be observed that the board of construction has decided to omit the torpedo boats both surface and submarine, recommended by the policy board, of which Admiral Dewey is chairman, but the programme in all other particulars conforms closely to the initial project under discussion a few days ago.

The five fighting ships proposed are more formidable than any of the same category yet designed. With the 17 now building or authorized and with the six battleships and two armored cruisers already in commission, they will give an offensive force of 30 ships. The eight now in active service—the Kearsarge, the Kentucky, the Indiana, the Iowa, the Massachusetts, the Oregon, the New York and the Brooklyn—average 10,000 tons; the six building, the Alabama, the Maine, the Illinois, the Missouri, the Ohio and the Wisconsin—average 12,000 tons; those just designed and to be contracted for next month—the Pennsylvania, the New Jersey, the Georgia, the Virginia, the Rhode Island, the West Virginia, the Nebraska, the California, the Maryland, the Colorado and the South Dakota—average 14,000 tons, while the 1901 design will form a new 15,000 ton class. The object of the additional 1,000 tons is fuel, in order to gain radius of action and to adapt these powerful vessels especially to cover the great distances which separate safe harbors, drydocks and coaling stations in the Pacific ocean.

The second group of 22 vessels is intended for police duty, principally in the Philippines, although adaptable for service in China. These vessels are to be sheathed, in order to render them practically independent of drydocks. They are to have every provision to enable them to remain for long periods at a distance from a base of supplies. Their light draft will enable them to visit places situated on shallow water and their armament is to be rapid fire for large guns and automatic for smaller calibers.

Their quarters for officers and crew will be fitted to insure all attainable comfort and health during long stays in tropical climates, and speed will be sacrificed for more essential qualities. Six of them will be slightly larger than the Bennington, the Concord and the Yorktown, or about double the displacement of the Annapolis-Princeton class. These will be able to cross the Pacific under their own steam. Six more are to have about the displacement of the old side wheel cruiser Michigan, for many years so useful on the great lakes, and slightly larger than the converted yachts Peoria, Hist, Eagle and Hornet, which performed such effective service in the Cuban blockade.

The ten 200 ton gunboats will be the smallest war vessels, except torpedo boats, ever built for the United States navy, but they are the size recommended by all officers of experience in the Philippines as essential to preserving order among the small islands of the archipelago, to penetrate the interior districts of the larger islands by means of the rivers and to put an end to smuggling. The crews of all the gunboats will be protected against small arm fire by light deflective plating and shields, and provision will be made to secure safety for their machinery by similar protection.

Another Russian Diamond Field.

A diamond field has been discovered near the Kamenka, a small mountain stream flowing down from the Ural mountains, near the river Sanarka. This discovery, according to the St James Gazette, was really anticipated by the late Russian mineralogist, M. N. Kokscharoff, who a few years ago made some investigations near the Sanarka and found the beryl, topaz, chrysoberyl and the "captivos," which in Brazil is always found in close conjunction with the diamond. In consequence of these discoveries he gave the name of "Russian Brazil" to that region. The diamonds that have just been found are less remarkable for their size than for their fire and purity.

Handling the Foreign Mail.

So heavy has the foreign mail service become that a separate postoffice is needed in New York for that branch of government work. The new building at Morton and West streets will be ready for occupancy in a few days, and removal of the foreign service will greatly relieve the congested condition of the general postoffice, says the New York correspondent of the Pittsburg Dispatch. Over 200 clerks are needed to handle the transatlantic mails, and the entire basement of the postoffice has been occupied for that work. The new building is close to all steamship piers and will admit of a better service.

PEOPLE OF THE DAY.

The successive victories of American jockeys in England have aroused the ire of one patron of the turf in the mother country. Lord Durham makes wholesale charges against the American boys, who, he says, are unscrupulous in the way they ride. He has not

JOHNNY REIFF.

supported his charges and finds little sympathy among other lovers of the sport in England, as he is looked upon as unreliable and theatrical. The successive victories of the Reiff boys—Johnny and Lester—Tod Sloane and other American riders have soured his lordship, who has backed the mounts of the English jockeys. The great string of victories achieved by Johnny Reiff has been especially aggravating to the gentleman, who shows that he is lacking in the chief essential of the true sportsman.

Too Sacred For Cameras.

Though European illustrated journals have frequently published alleged portraits of the emperor of China, and they have been reproduced from time to time in this country, they hardly deserve to be designated as other than "impressionist" views. It is probable that no photograph of the emperor of China has ever been taken.

When Charles Denby was minister to China, a publisher wrote to him for a photograph of the emperor of China in reply Mr. Denby said:

"It would afford me great pleasure to send you a photograph of the emperor if one could be procured. After making inquiries I find that his photograph has never been taken. The Son of Heaven is not visible to any foreign eye except when foreign ministers are received in audience. It is customary on such occasions to stipulate that no kodak shall be used by any foreigner.

"When the emperor goes out in his sedan chair, all the cross streets are barricaded with mats, and every door and window by which he passes is closed, and any one be caught spying, death follows. The emperor has the appearance of a very young and frail man."

She Has Decided.

After many reported betrothals the interesting young queen of Holland at last owns up to an engagement. The lucky man is Duke Henry von Meck-

QUEEN WILHELMINA.

lenburg-Schwerin. Queen Wilhelmina is 20 years of age, and her future husband is 24. He is a handsome man of military bearing and is a lieutenant in the Prussian guard.

President McKinley as an Editor.

One of the department heads at Washington recently wrote an article for a magazine which required the president's approval for publication. The president asked that the article be given to him. At the end of a week the manuscript came back, edited in a way which completely won editorial admiration. The president was apparently thoroughly conversant with all the marks which editors use in making corrections. Every erasure and interlineation had its proper sign, and each was in the president's own handwriting.—Omaha Bee.

Paul and the Methuens.

Lord Methuen has a partiality for President Kruger and all because of the Paul they bear in common for their Christian names. This partiality of the Methuens for the name of Paul is a matter of heredity. Lord Methuen's father bore the name, so did his grandfather, so does his brother, and so do his own three sons, the eldest owning it as his first name, the two young as their second names.

YOUTHS' DEPARTMENT.

A Lobster That Fights Hard—The Bird and the Tree—What Sunshine Does.

That fencing is a pastime among lobsters I have no doubt from some little experiences I have had with them. Once I found a lobster near low water in a pool some nine feet long by six feet wide, having a rough bottom and eight or ten inches of water in it, with a cavern at each end. Although I was armed with a crab hook, or iron gaff about three feet long, the extreme darting and fencing of the lobster were too much for me to grapple with. When in the deeper cavern, I found it could see me through the water as plainly as I could, so that the better constructed eyes of the genus homo had no advantage over the rough, hard stalk eyes of the crustacean, and as I could not get to gaff across it every effort I made was evaded. At last, however, by mere vigorous and energetic gaffing, I made the cavern so uncomfortable for the lobster that, like a lightning flash, it darted between my legs and back into its old haunt. Here the same game went on, and with like results, for in a moment he was again between my legs and back into his old haunt. Finally, becoming tired of gaffing and missing (for its fencing was perfect and could not have been achieved without long practice), I declined to be beaten by a mere crustacean and proceeded to bail out the pool. It was only by this effort that I eventually conquered it. And here I must confess that throughout the battle so deft, crafty and subtle were its actions that it was like fighting a being endowed with human intelligence.

I have further proof that they manifest a severe martial spirit in the sea when hunting for food. It is nothing uncommon for fishermen, when drawing up their traps in the morning, to find the large claw of another lobster in the pot beside the prisoner, says The Contemporary Review, and there have been instances where three large claws have been found together with the above conditions and a lobster with one arm as a prisoner, showing that in a recent fight the victor had lost one and the vanquished both arms. But these are only trifles when compared with what the late Sir Isaac Coffin saw when on the coast of Nova Scotia for it is given on his authority that he once witnessed a terrible battle between two armies of lobsters and that they fought with such fury that the shore was strewn with their claws.

The Bird and the Tree.

Across the ocean grew an oak tree. The sun shone brightly upon it. The little birds sang in its branches. The warm south winds from the desert rustled its leaves.

One summer day two men came to look at it. The tree heard them talking. It wondered what was going to happen. But it hadn't long to wait.

The men went to work at once. They cut the bark and peeled it off in great strips. The tree was sorry to lose its thick bark. It said, "I shall die now." It didn't know how careful the men had been. They had not injured the tree at all.

In a few years another bark grew. This was better than the first one. The men came again and peeled this off too.

The oak wondered what became of its bark. So it asked a little bird one day.

This is the bird's story:

"This morning I was flying along. Below me were great piles of bark. I saw some of it soaking in water. Heavy weights were on it. They straightened it out. Then it was dried and cut into strips. The bark could float on the surface of water. This made it useful for life preservers. I saw many other things made. Some day I will tell you about them. I must fly away now."

What Sunshine Does.

A grapevine hung by an apple bough;
The grapes were red and the apples green;
Each fruit was healthy and promised now
A rich, ripe fullness of tint and taste,
When August came with its hot, hot haste,
A harvest of wealth to glean.

But grapes and apples, and children, too,
At first have tempers but immature,
And, red or green, they are sometimes blue
And harsh or surly or full of tears,
Till waning weeks or expanding years
Unripeness have come to cure.

The grapes thus gibed at the apples green,
Too proud and vain of their glistening red:
"You're knurly, bitter and hard and mean;
We scarce could tell you from humble leaves.
To hang beside you our spirit grieves,
Such ugly fruit," they said.

The apples answered: "You hypocrites,
Your red's a lie on the face of it!
You think you're clever, you think you're wits.
We know, although we are not wise,
That we, as we are, can be used for pies.
You're no use—not a bit!"

So words ran high, and a tall sunflower
Upon them turned a rebuking face.
The grapes and apples began to cower.
"He's going to scold," they said;
"He's mostly jolly, and we're afraid
He'll speak of our disgrace."

The sunflower couldn't be cross for long;
His Princeton features soon veiled a smile;
"Your use of language is quite too strong;
You talk too fiercely and talk too much,
You need the sunshine's caressing touch;
Keep still and wait awhile."

—Cynthia Westover in Success.

A Lively Game.

"Three deep, or third man," is one of the most popular games. The players arrange themselves in two circles, one within the other. Two extra players for whom there is no extra place in the circle stand on the outside as "chaser" and "runner." The latter may save himself from the chaser by standing in front of any two players—i. e., inside the circle—thus making a line three deep. He then is safe, but the outer one of the three is then "third man" and may be tagged. To save himself he must run and take a place in front of another couple, but not the couple adjacent to him on either side. If a player is tagged, he becomes chaser and the one who tagged him the runner.

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EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

Important Occurrences of the Past Seven Days.

Summary of What has Just Occurred. Accidents and Incidents.

Epworth League Convention.

The Annual Conference of the Epworth League of the San Francisco District, M. E. Church, South, held its first session at the church in this city last night. Delegates from ten or twelve counties were arriving all day Thursday. They were met on arrival and assigned to homes where they are being properly entertained. The program last night consisted of addresses of welcome, music etc. District President C. W. Clough, of Salinas, responded to the addresses of welcome, after which refreshments were served in the church parlors and there was a general social time. The program for the ensuing days is as follows:

FRIDAY MORNING.

9 o'clock. Fifteen minutes song service—Mrs. W. F. Coffin.

The League at the table of the Lord—Dr. J. E. Moore, Rev. W. F. Coffin.

Organization—Appointment of committees.

AFTERNOON.

Devotional Department—Miss Madge Jackman.

Two o'clock, Song Service—Mrs. C. E. Clark.

Paper, "Importance of good Leadership and what characterizes a good leader."

Addresses, Missionary Duties of Leaguers—Miss Laura Williams.

Paper, "How can members assist the leader."

Music.

Literary Department—Miss Lizzie B. Wittich.

Song—By Mrs. Lena Lindsey, of Cloverdale.

Paper—By Mrs. Hale McCowen, of Ukiah.

Paper—By R. A. Jordan, of Alameda.

7:30 p. m., Praise service—Mrs. W. G. Poage.

Music.

Address—"The Fifth International Convention, San Francisco 1900," —By W. H. Waste, Vice-President, and Rev. J. E. Moore, of the International committee.

Sermon by Rev. J. E. Squires, of Colusa.

SATURDAY MORNING.

Nine o'clock. Devotional—Harvey L. Burchell.

Business, Charity and Help Department.

"Cultivating the spirit of Charity" --Miss Louella Williams, Ukiah.

"The Good Samaritan"—W. H. Waste, of Oakland.

"How we can best show our deeds of charity are for Christ's sake"—Mrs. C. E. Clark, Potter valley.

"Charity and help"—Miss Virginia McReynolds.

"Work of committee in Second Department"—Mrs. Martha V. Healey.

AFTERNOON.

Two o'clock—Reports from officers; Reports from committees; Election of officers; Selection of place for holding next Conference. Miscellaneous business.

EVENING.

Song Service—Conducted by Miss Ethel Poage.

Paper, "Atlanta 1900"—Charles L. Story.

Music.

Lecture, "Is the Old Book True?"—Robert S. Boyns.

SUNDAY.

Sunday School.

Sermon by Rev. J. C. Wooton.

3 o'clock, Junior League—Miss Hattie Austin.

6:30 o'clock, Model League—C. P. McAlmond.

7:30 o'clock, Sermon to Leaguers, Dr. J. E. Moore.

The public is invited to attend all the meetings.

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The Oil Prospects.

That the output of petroleum in California should equal that of gold is something to cause amazement among oldtime miners, yet we have the authority of State Mineralogist Cooper for the statement, and he supports it with such weignt of facts as to silence the most incredulous. He points out that in the history of oil-bearing districts the first discoveries have been in comparatively shallow wells and that deeper boring has produced a vnst improvement in the quantity and quality of the yield. Heretofore in California we have, so to speak, barely scraped the surface of the earth and we have scarcely a conception of the vast possibilities that lie in the various oil strata which extend, as Mr. Cooper believes, down to the very metamorphic rocks. Several years ago he was a firm believer in the theory that the distilling process from whence petroleum comes had now stopped—that nature's chemical laboratory had been closed; but in a recent interview we see that he has followed other scientific investigators and accepted the view of practical producers, that is to say, that the processes are still in operation—that while living chemists can evolve in a small way nature is producing every day and that deep down under the earth's surface the destructive distillation of hydro-carbons is going on day and night. With the petroleum stored up for ages, then, and which has hardly been touched, and the oil that is constantly being newly formed, California's future is certainly promising, to say the least. If the sale of the produce of our oil wells were to be made to the East alone, as is the case now, the enormous sums of money put into circulation in California would insure the permanent prosperity of the State; but the development of this industry means far more than the bringing of coin here for goods delivered. It promises the growth of our manufacturing interests and with them the increase of our commerce, our resources and incidentally our population.—Oakland Tribune.

A High Jinks.

The young ladies of the High School gave a high jinks at Mason's opera house on the evening of October 15th. The affair was limited to the ladies of the school, who came ornamented with many brilliant colors, representing every nationality and both the young and old.

Miss Edna Reeves represented an old-fashioned lady; Maud Turner and Elizabeth Hawn were dressed as negroes, likewise Madge Price and Victerean Craig. The Japanese race was well represented by Irene Hamilton, Priscilla White, Leora McCharles. Miss Jessie Standley wore a Turkish costume, while Rena Dightman and Katie Thomas presented a very beautiful appearance in long trailing yellow and white Grecian robes. Alice Deering and Grace Marders, for some cause, seemed to gain the sweetest smiles of any present until Genie Kellan, dressed as an old maid, said in an impromptu address, that the way in which the girls regarded these boys was absurd.

The program of the evening was very entertaining. Katie Bartlett was pianoist of the evening. The seniors gained great favour and probably universal fame by the unparalled record made by their new patented orchestra. Another attractive feature of the program was a dialogue, "Practice what you preach," rendered by Eva Briggs, Goldie Parker, Katie Van Allen and Genie Kellan, while others gained great applause for the various parts which they took in the evening's enjoyment.

Miss Elliot made the closing remarks. She says that she fully realized the great task devolved upon her and that she hardly knew what to say to this wise and venerable assemblage of the nation, and that nothing less than that article which had been delivered before the crowned heads of the earth could appeal to the deep, intellectual minds before her. With this she proceeded to deliver a "Memorial of a Poor Dead Cat."

The remaining moments were spent in great glee until after having gone thru the grand march for the fourth time the jolly company dispersed.

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MANCHESTER ITEMS.

MANCHESTER, November 12.

Election passed off quietly and now we will have four years more of the "full dinner pail" and prosperity.

Sam Reinking spent last week in San Francisco, returning by stage on Monday.

Walter Ward left Thursday for Carter's where he has accepted a position.

Mr. Bree and daughter Eva are visiting in San Francisco.

Miss Macie Carr, after visiting relatives and friends in Alameda, returned on Tuesday.

Chas. Bishop has rented his ranch and has moved to Bridgeport to live.

Al Epworth and family have moved into the Taylor house to live this winter.

Mort Scott's new residence is completed and he will soon move in.

Our new store is booming and will soon be running full blast. Opposition is the life of trade. The carpenters work is being done by R. F. Sherwood and Harry Bishop. This new store will add much to the appearance of our little burg as well as the general welfare of our people.

Miss Maggie Carr, after a severe illness, is able to be out again.

Miss Lena Brettnacher is visiting Mrs. Wm. Antrim.

Mr. Palmer is slowly improving from the broken limb he received a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Mattie McFaul and Miss Alice Ruddock, of Miller, visited here on election day, also took in the entertainment in the evening.

Singing school is largely attended and all appreciate Mr. Sullivan's time and instruction.

A large crowd of Point Arenaites took in the entertainment here election night.

The ladies of the M. E. church gave a dinner on election day and the Epworth League gave the entertainment. The program was well rendered, especially the imitation of an Irishman taken off by Mr. Sullivan and Maude Sherwood's recitation entitled "An Old Woman's Complaint," also the sunflower chorus of fifteen voices.

T. H. Swain, of Palo Alto, is visiting here.

Miss Effie Shoemake, after visiting here for some time, left Monday for her home in Ukiah. Too bad, Ernest, but she can't stay with you always.

Joseph Inman and wife have moved to Rollerville to live.

Elder Gale preached here Sunday to a full house.

Miss Mattie Inman visited friends here last week.

Will Lawson smiling face is again in our midst.

A stranger, named Wm. Smith committed suicide on Tuesday by jumping off of Irish Gulch bridge. It is thot the poor fellow was insane.

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Along the Coast.

Several sections of the Usal wharf were burned last week. The fire started from sparks from the engine.

The schooner Nettie Sundborg lost both of her anchors at Fish Rock last week. For a while she was in a bad condition but finally got to sea, returning to San Francisco to discharge her freight that was for Fish Rock.

The Fort Bragg Railroad hands have organized a football team and are ready to play any team in the county. J. J. Morrow is the manager.

A son was born to the wife of George Devilbiss at Rockport on October 26th.

Alex Sanderson was injured in the Fort Bragg woods last week by being caught in the bite of a rope

The Fort Bragg Advocate says that salmon in the Noyo and Ten Mile rivers are being ruthlessly slaughtered.

James Murphy, of Rockport, had his leg broken recently by a car wheel.

John J. Keller is on the coast doing a big business for I. Rudee & Co. of Ukiah.

J. N. Saye, of Fort Bragg, died last week of cancer. Mr. Saye was a native of Missouri and was 92 years old at the time of his death. He had resided in Fort Bragg for 14 years and was at one time a member of the board of city trustees. He was universally respected and leaves a widow and a brother and many friends to mourn his loss.

Wm. Smith, a stranger, committed suicide last week at Irish gulch by jumping from a 60 foot bridge.

Miles Standish, of the Albion Co., says it is the intention of the company to rebuild the Albion mill at an early date.

The Ukiah and Mendocino stage has now changed time for the winter.

Mrs. C. M. Curley, of Point Arena, presented her husband with a bouncing boy last week.

Mrs. Bowles, of Point Arena, and Mr. Chilson, of Nevada, were married last week.

Walter Jenson, of Point Arena, and Miss Mayme Peterson were married in Stockton on Octocer 27. They will make their home at Point Arena.

Victor J. Nissen and Miss Annie Edwards were united in marriage in San Francisco last week by the Rev. D. Munro. The young couple will return to Point Arena where they will reside.

The rainfall at Point Arena is 5.16 inches for the season.

Frank Cooley Dramatic Co.

Marks' Opera House: Frank Cooley and his company of players begin a week's engagement at Marks' Opera House next Monday evening, Nov. 19, playing a repretoire consisting of some of the most successful dramas of late years. Mr. Cooley has a very capable company that merits success and crowded houses. On Monday evening Edwin Thome's great success, "The Black Flag," a story of English prison life will be the bill. Tuesday "Uncle Bob," a farce comedy, made famous by Dan Sully. Wednesday, "Love and Money," a story of labor against capital, one of the greatest labor dramas ever written. Thursday, Olga Nethersole's version of "Sapho" this being the only version, all others do not convey the original story. This is the version that created so much talk in New York city. Friday "Butterflies," made famous by John Drew and produced for the first time at popular prices. Saturday, matinee, a treat for the younger folks, a grand prize matinee and "The Bankers' Children," after the performance Miss Harriett will hold a reception. Closing Saturday evening with that grand old temperance story "Ten nights in a Bar Room." This is the first company in years to play here a week, changing the program nightly and charging the extreme low price of admission, 10c, 20c and 30c. The entire press commend Mr. Cooley and his company highly to the public, everywhere praising them.

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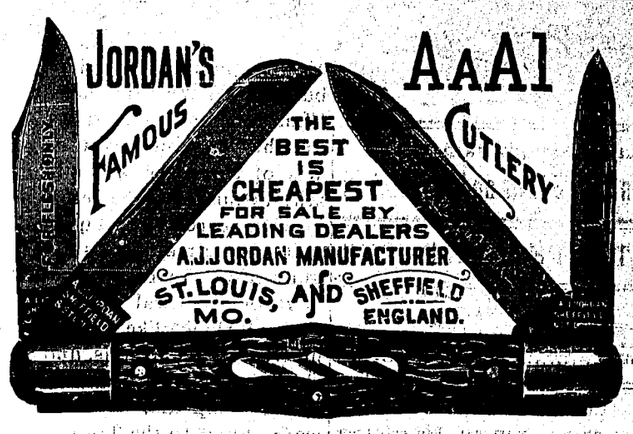

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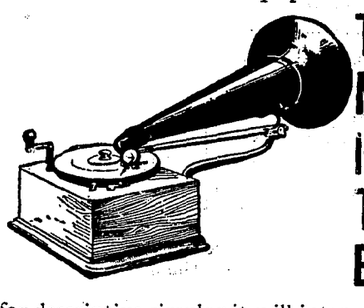
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About the only crop sown and harvested this season which has not made the grower glad at the harvest season has been the crop of wild oats sown by the foolish young man.

The deaths of Henry Villard and Marcus Daily removes from earthly action two noted Americans. The lives of both were spectacular, altho in point of intellectuality, Villard was by far the greater man.

Admiral Crowinsnield, Chief of the United States Bureau of Navigation, has made his report, in which he takes the ground that our navy is only one-fourth strong enough to fight a first-class power. He thinks it can no longer be considered even as an effective nucleus around which a navy could be formed in case of war.

General MacArthur has called for more troops in the Philippines, and as the terms of most of the volunteers who are now there will soon expire, it appears that it will be necessary to hold chem over time. General McArthur says in his report, which was withheld until after the election and was then given out, that in his opinion a large military and naval force will be required in the Philippines for many years to come.

This office is in receipt of a copy of Attorney General Ford's report to the Governor, comprising some 15 pages of printed matter. The report shows that Ford and his deputies have been very busy and have earned their salaries. A number of important cases are cited to show the magnitude and variety of matters demanding the attention of Mr. Ford and his assistants. The Attorney General pays a high compliment to his industrious assistants, one of whom is G. A. Sturtevant, for the able and conscientious manner in which they have performed their duties.

There is a great deal of talk just now about RE-organizing the Democratic party. The Democratic party all right, it doesn't need any RE-organization, but it does need ORGANIZATION and that badly. The people who stabbed the party to death in the dark hour of its peril are not the ones to re-organize, or organize, it either. The faithful leaders who stayed with the party thru weal and woe are the ones into whose hands the destiny of the party should be placed. Yes, let the Democratic party be organized, but in the organization let us not fuse with everything that comes along. Let us stand fairly and squarely upon the immutable and eternal principles of democracy and the majority of the people will be with us.

The Examiner asks; in double column measure, "is there any reason why an intelligent man should fall in love with a silly woman rather than a woman of intellect," to which we reply that he does not. No man of brains or intellect can "fall in love" with a woman whom he knows to be silly. Men of broad intelligence sometimes marry mediocre women, but they are usually women of practical, every day common sense. If occasionally a man of intellectual capacity marries a woman who deserves the title of "silly," he is not actuated by love. He is led to form such a union either thru selfishness or lust. There can be no love, in the true sense, without a mutual sense of respect and esteem. And, furthermore, many women may appear frivolous, and to a degree "silly" in society, who, in the privacy and sanctity of home, are true help meets, advising, comforting, sustaining their intellectual husbands.

THE DUTY OF ALL.

A majority of the sovereign people of this republic have decided by their ballots that Wm. McKinley, and not Wm. J. Bryan, should be President for the next four years. It is the will of the people and all good citizens acquiesce in the verdict. This bowing peacefully and quietly to the will of the majority is what makes our nation great. We, as a people, have our political differences. We can't all think alike. We settle our differences at the polls, and after the election we put patriotism above partisanship and are all true Americans, loyal to the flag and the government which all revere.

Let us now forget our little family quarrel and see who can be the greaest patriot and the best citizen. Let us forget all the bickerings, the heartburns, the animosities and the angry words said and written in the heat of passion during the campaign. Every man that voted for W. J. Bryan was honest in his convictions and we accord to those who supported Wm. McKinley the same sincerity and honesty of purpose. There is no doubt upon this question. No intelligent American citizen is going to question the honesty of the rank and file of the people arrayed on either one side or the other.

This election is settled, right or wrong, and it is now the duty of all to do everything in our power to make the next four years as happy, peaceful and prosperous as possible. Support the President in all that is right. If he be not right, try to place him right. Be patriots, not partisans. Be one great family of true, loyal American citizens until the next election.

Now that the election is over all should turn their attention toward the betterment of the locality in which they live. If the people of each town in the county do all they can to build up and boost the town along, the whole county will be benefited that much. If the county generally forges ahead the whole State will receive an impetus. If every State in the union progresses the whole nation is benefited. So the progress of the nation depends upon enterprise at home, so to speak. Just now Mendocino county is in the condition where rapid development will be hers if our people will only take hold and help matters on. The opportunity is here. The extension of the railroad north will develop the northern part of the county and bring that section into closer communication with the county seat. Whatever builds up the entire county will, in a measure, assist the county seat. There is no question about this. The people of Ukiah must not go to sleep while this northern boom is going on. Get in and boom Ukiah and vicinity. This is a critical time in the history of Ukiah. If time is taken by the forelock, the extension of the railroad will in five years prove a benefit to Ukiah. Why not encourage capital to come here and build up manufacturing establishments. Stir up the farmers of this community and build a creamery. Why not have a tannery or a woolen mill here? If Ukiah shows life it will be only a matter of time until Low Gap is tapped by a branch railroad, making Ukiah the terminus with a large saw mill near town. The prosperity and future of this city depends much upon the attitude of our people during the next few years. Don't decry the town. Let us put our shoulders to the wheel and do what we can for Ukiah. The opportunity is here.

Speculation is already rife concerning the probable composition of McKinley's cabinet for the new term. It is thot by some that Secretary of War Root will take the portfolio of State, and that Secretary Hay will go to the Court of St. James. Hay would be doubly welcome in England, both because he has already represented us there to the full satisfaction of the British Government, and because he has made it a point to play into the hand of England ever since he has been Secretary of State. In Secretary Hay, Lord Pauncefote has always had a willing ally, no matter what his schemes might be. England relies upon our help in settling the complications arising out of the trouble in China, and feels that she can safely trust Hay as an eager counsellor and assistant. No Secretary of State of this nation has ever developed so complete an Anglomania as John Hay.

Plurality of Candidates.

The plurality vote in the different States, approximately, is as follows:

M'KINLEY.

State.	Electoral vote.	Plurality.
California	9	40,000
Connecticut	6	28,400
Delaware	3	5,000
Illinois	24	100,000
Indiana	15	30,000
Iowa	13	80,000
Kansas	10	25,000
Maine	6	21,500
Maryland	8	15,000
Massachusetts	15	82,000
Michigan	14	98,000
Minnesota	9	50,000
Nebraska	8	5,000
New Hampshire	4	22,000
New Jersey	10	57,000
New York	36	145,000
North Dakota	3	8,000
Ohio	23	73,000
Oregon	4	14,000
Pennsylvania	32	300,000
Rhode Island	4	14,000
South Dakota	4	10,000
Utah	3	4,000
Vermont	4	36,000
Washington	4	5,000
West Virginia	6	15,000
Wisconsin	12	110,000
Wyoming	3	3,000
Total	292	1,305,900

BRYAN.

Alabama	11	40,000
Arkansas	8	60,000
Colorado	4	35,000
Florida	4	22,000
Georgia	13	50,000
Idaho	3	10,000
Kentucky	13	7,800
Louisiana	8	30,000
Mississippi	9	45,000
Missouri	17	35,000
Montana	3	10,000
Nevada	3	1,500
North Carolina	11	30,000
South Carolina	9	50,000
Tennessee	12	25,000
Texas	15	175,000
Virginia	12	30,000
Total	155	647,300

Total vote in electoral college, 447; necessary to choice, 224. McKinley's plurality; 748,600.

Standard Oil Prosperity.

Standard Oil certificates were quoted in New York Saturday, at $700 bid, none offered, as against $655, yesterday's mark, and, until today, the highest on record. The par value of the company's outstanding stock is $97, 500, 000 and $700 per share indicating a market value of $682,500,000. During this year the company has paid $46,800,000 in dividends. In the face of this showing, it is idle to declare the country not prosperous.

QUICK RESULTS.

The hundreds of thousands of men who voted for McKinley and "prosperity," will note with interest the prompt action of the Beef Trust. The people having voted to sustain the trusts, they are promptly notified that they must eat less meat or pay more for it. The Beef Trust has put the screws on and the people have to stand it. A telegram from Chicago dated November 10th informs the public:

The trust has ordered sharp advances all along the line. Beef, pork and mutton cost the retailer from a cent to two cents a pound more, tho the general advance is one cent, a trifling sum of itself, but adding $40,000,000 to the treasure of the trust if kept at the prevailing prices.

Nearly all the retailers have advanced prices to consumers from one to five cents a pound. The butcher will show these figures as a comparative table of increase:

	Old price.	New price.
Tenderloin	18	23
Sirloin	16	20
Rib roasts	14	18
Round	10	13
Mutton chops	16	20
Bacon	11	12

Moreover, there are no hopeful signs. The trust people say that the change has been coming for some time, but nevertheless the retailers were aghast when the general advance upon all lines was ordered yesterday. The packers say they have advanced the prices to retailers about ten per cent. The increase in beef is from $1.50 to $2 per hundred; fresh pork has advanced $2 a hundred and mutton two cents a pound.

A Powder Mill Explosion

Removes everything in sight; so do drastic mineral pills, but both are mighty dangerous. Don't dynamite the delicate machinery of your body with calomel, croton oil or aloes pills, when Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are gentle as a summer breeze, do the work perfectly. Cures headache, constipation. Only 25c at J. R. Mathews', City Pharmacy.

RURAL FREE DELIVERY SYSTEM.

What is known as the rural free delivery system is likely to be of untold benefit to the agricultural districts of the country in the near future.

Already the system has been put into effective operation in many of the states and territories of the union, but in no section of the country as yet has the system become generally operative. In other words, it is being tried on a limited scale in different localities scattered about over the country, but such has been the success of the experiment up to date that it will undoubtedly meet with universal adoption.

Ohio, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Indiana and Iowa are the states in which the system is being chiefly tried at present, tho every state and territory is receiving some attention. Some idea of the progress which has been made in testing the system may be obtained from the appropriations which congress has made in this direction. In 1896, $50, 000 was appropriated; in 1897, $150, 000; in 1898, $300, 000; and in 1899, $1, 750, 000.

Tho it will cost the government something to put the system into general operation, it will be money well expended, and the taxpayer will have no cause to grumble. With the introduction of the system one of the principal drawbacks to life in the rural districts will be largely overcome, viz: The isolation and the loneliness which one feels in living remote from the centers of population. This feeling will almost entirely disappear when our farmers, instead of being compelled to wait until they can get an opportunity to go to the postoffice, will have their mail delivered to them daily at their own doors.

Along with better postal facilities our farmers also need better roads. Both will come in time, but at present they have abundant cause for congratulation in the success of the rural free delivery system.

THE MAN WHO DID NOT VOTE.

He is unworthy of the privilege which he holds in trust, not for himself alone, but for all those dependent upon him and for the whole community of which he is a part. To be recreant to that trust is to be recreant to the highest duty of the American citizen. The only adult male citizens of the United States who cannot vote under our Constitution are lunatics, idiots and unpardoned convicts. The man, who being an adult male citizen, deliberately for the time being puts himself outsid the pale of American citizenship by refusing or intentionally neglecting to register, puts himself voluntarily in one of these three disfranchised classes and degrades himself to their level. For if knowing the importance of the issues at stake, he refuses to vote because he doesn't care, he is either insane in his reckless folly or is the stuff, in his lack of moral sense, out of which convicts are made, as destitute of patriotism as he is of conscience or common sense.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Amendment Number 6, exempting houses of worship from taxation has been adopted by the people, and now those interested in church matters are discussing the question whether or not the amendment will knock out the holding of church Fairs or Bazarrs in church buildings which claim exemption. Dr Bovard is of the opinion that it will not where the money collected at such Fairs is strictly for church purposes. Rev. Father Cummins, rector of St. Patricks church San Francisco, thinks it would probably be better anyway to hold such Fairs in some other buildings than the church. Father Cummins is probably right.

TWO INSTANCES.

Advertising is to the merchant what plowing and sowing is to the farmer. Imagine a farmer trying to raise a crop by sitting on the fence as he looks over a ten-acre field wishing that a nice crop of wheat or corn would spring up in it. Ridiculous, isn't it? But not any more so than the merchant who hides a stock of goods away in a storeroom and then sits on the counter hoping that people will come in and buy.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Mendocino's New Officers.

In the recent election Mendocino county has selected one Assemblyman to serve two years and three Supervisors for four years each.

Wm. Hanen, editor of the Point Arena Record, will represent the people of the 9th district at the coming session of the legislature. Mr. Hanen was not onr choice for the office, yet the people have selected him for that high and responsible position and we wish him all the success possible at Sacramento in his career as law maker. He is now the representative of the whole people, and as such will receive the hearty support of the DISPATCH in all measures that will benefit the people. There is much to come before the legislature concerning Mendocino county and we stand ready at any and all times to aid Mr. Hanen in any way we can.

R. H. Rawles and Len Barnard are the Supervisors-elect from the 1st and 4th districts. They have been residents of their respective districts for many years and should be able to give the people good service. The people evidently think them efficient and capable as two good officials were turned down to give these men an opportunity to show what they could do. All hope that they may be able to conduct the offices in such a way that none will be disappointed.

C. P. Smith, the chairman of the Board was reelected by a handsome majority, which shows that the people approve his course and have confidence in him. He has made one of the best supervisors the county has ever had and will no doubt keep up his record.

Fix Up the Play House.

We take it to be the duty of a newspaper to manifest an interest in everything which concerns the public of its locality, or within the influence of its circulation. So thinking we have a word to say about one of Ukiah's institutions. Ukiah is as good a show town, according to population as we know of in the State. The people will turn out and patronize what they believe to be a good show. But our opera house is not what it ought to be for a first class show. The stage is dilapidated and the seating is not comfortable, nor is it sufficient. If we had a properly equipped play house we might often secure companies of repute and plays of merit. Of course in this matter we are not criticising the lessee. We do not suppose he can afford to repair and furnish the building at his own expense, but the owner ought to expend a little money on that line. Another thing; the kind of order. or rather disorder, maintained or allowed in the gallery is abominable. People who pay their money to see a play are entitled to protection from unwarranted disturbance by unnecessary noise.

Death of Doris Dornsife.

The remains of Doris A. Dornsife were brot here Sunday from Alameda for interment. The deceased child was three years old and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Dornsife of near Talmage. Mrs Dornsife, with her children, was visiting the family of H. L. Eastman in Alameda, when the little girl was stricken down by croup.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube be restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

CASTORIA.

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THROAT REST

You can cough yourself into bronchitis, pneumonia, and consumption.

Bandaging and bundling your throat will do no good.

You must give your throat and lungs rest and allow the cough wounds to heal.

There is nothing so bad for a cough as coughing. Stop it by using

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

Even the cough of early consumption is cured. And, later on, when the disease is firmly fixed, you can bring rest and comfort in every case.

A 25 cent bottle will cure new coughs and colds; the 50 cent size is better for settled coughs of bronchitis and weak lungs; the one dollar size is more economical for chronic cases and consumption. It's the size you should keep on hand.

"All families ought to be on the watch for sudden attacks of croup or acute lung troubles. Every country home in the land should keep Cherry Pectoral constantly on hand to provide against an emergency."
JOSIAH G. WILLIS, M.D.,
Dec. 14, 1898. Holland, Mich.

Mine on Fire.

Fire was discovered in the ore-body of the Iron Mountain mine near Redding on the 9th instant. This is said to be the worst piece of news that has reached Redding for years, as fears are entertained of the destruction of the mine by burning of timbers and explosions. This mine is one of Shasta county's greatest sources of wealth.

Nis Life was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo, lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid Fever, that ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and $1. Trial bottle free at J. R. Mathews, City Pharmacy. Every bottle guaranteed.

The Northern California Teachers' Association which recently convened at Marysville, organized a strong opposition to the proposed changes in the law for certificating teachers. Committeemen were appointed from many counties to arrange plans for the opposition.

Richard Hurley, of Whitesboro, was in town this week as a trial juror.

Charles Thamer, of Fort Bragg, had business at the court house this week.

D. H. Lawson, C. P. McGimsey, Ed Rector and Jess Adcock were over from Boonville last Wednesday.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at J. R. Mathews' City Pharmacy.

DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT, Ukiah.
Cards, Letterheads Billheads, Envelopes, Wedding Cards, Dance Programmes, etc.

SAVE SOMETHING In Price

LOSE NOTHING In Quality

The following list of goods have all been marked below their real value at least 20 to 30 per cent. It will be to your advantage to give us a call and see our fine lines of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Overcoats, also an Elegant Assortment of Ladies' Capes and Jackets, before you purchase elsewhere.

Ladies' Jackets & Capes.

A neat Brown, Tan or Oxfoad shade Jacket, lstest styles, sold for $4.50' now reduced to - $3.50

Our $6.50 line of Jackets. lined thruout, all shades and colors, now redeced - - $5.00

Our $8.50 line of Jankets, faced with good quality silk, the best ever shown for the price now reduced to - - - - $6.50

Our $1.50 line of Jackets in beautiful shades of black. light, tans, and castor shades, silk lined thru, we offer for - - - $8.85

The swellest Jacket of the season sold for $15.00 now reduced to - - . $11.50

Men's and Boy's Suits.

We have the best quality and cheapest line of clothing to be had north of San Francisco which will all be sold at a big reduction.

We have just received a large line of heavy all wool casimeres made in the latest styles, goods that will ware well, worth $10.50 we offer for - - - - $8.50

We offer all our $7.00 suits to close at - $5.00

If you wish to have a nice blue serge the kind that will not fade, call and see our line, they are made to fit and look well - - $12.00

We have the latest in those grey oxfords cheviots, at the right price, from $8.50 to - $18.00

A beautiful line of English pique in blue and black at $20.00 reduced to - - $18.50

We will sacrifice all our boys' short pants suits at cost and less; from 75 ts. to - $ 3 50

100 pairs of boys' knee pants will be closed out at 10c, 15c and 25c per pair.

Overcoats.

Men's blue and kersy overcoats with velvet collar, late cut, good weight, sold for $7.50 now $5.50

A fine heavy ulster, the kind that will keep you warm, in gray oxford shade, sold for $8.50 now reduced to - - - $6.50

A beautiful line of brown, blue, and tan Overcoats worth $12.50 we offer for - $10.00

All f our $15.00 lines reduced to - $12.00

A full line of Boy's Overcoats, for boys from 13 years to 19, nice gray and blue kersey only $6.00

We are showing a swell line of men's overcoats in light coverts, in swell shades, sold at $15.00 reduced to - - - $11.50

C. Hofman's Cash Store, Ukiah

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS ITEMS

Class of 1901. Caprice.

Mrs. E. R. Wright has gone to San Francisco on a visit to friends.

The people of San Francisco did one good thing on election day and that was to defeat the unspeakable Dibble for a reelection to the Assembly.

The examination for graduation from the public schools for the fall term will begin November 19th.

Paul Joseph and family, who came up to attend the funeral of the late Emile Joseph, returned to Sacramento Sunday.

Miss Lulu Curtis has returned from a visit with friends in San Francisco and Oakland.

John Mathews and family have removed with their effects from Eden valley to Monterey.

Mrs. Pendegast died in this city last Saturday afternoon. The funeral took place Sunday from the Catholic church.

C. Hofman will save you money on Wall Paper, Oil Cloth, Linoleum and Carpets. n9tf

Dr. Sam T. Luce, who has been teaching at Garcia this fall, is in town enjoying a visit to his parents before reentering the dental college. Mr. Luce brot over a 14½ oz. apple that was raised on Mike Monngovan's place and presented it to this office. It is of the King of Tompkins county variety and is a good keeper.

An application was made last week to get Frank Pierce out of jail on a writ of habeas corpus. Pierce had been committed to jail from the Justice court in Ten Mile Township on a charge of petit larceny and was sentenced to serve 280 days in jail or pay a fine of $280. District Attorney Poage fought the application and Judge Mannon remanded the prisoner to jail.

If you want an up-to-date Carpet call on C. Hofman. n9

Lucene Edwards is in San Francisco on a business trip.

Don't fail to see Caprice.

Claude and Robert Shimmin were down from Willits this week on business.

David Frost, one of Little Lake's prominent and enterprising farmers, brot down a load of produce last Tuesday. This office acknowledges a pleasant call.

Rev. C. E. Clark, of Potter valley, was attending to business in Ukiah Tuesday.

Geo. W. St. Ores, of Gualala, was in town several days this week.

Among the citizens of Willits noticed in Ukiah this week were W. T. Saxon, W. H. and S. S. Baechtel, D. T. Johnson, A. W. Upp and wife and Mr. and Mrs. James.

Did you think of selecting a Carpet? Before purchasing call and see C. Hofman. n9

At the opera house Thanksgiving Eve. "Caprice" by the Senior class of the Ukiah High. o26t5

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meyer and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Duncan, of Hopland, were guests at the Palace last Monday.

Sanford & McClure sold their hop crop last week for 13¾ cents per pound. Nearly all of the growers have disposed of this year's crop.

Emmet McGimsey and wife, of Boonville, were guests at the Grand for a few days this week. Emmet had the misfortune to run off the grade while coming from the coast last Saturday. In coming down the Comptche hill the cart struck a root and turned over, rolling down into the bottom of the canyon. The horse, cart and driver all escaped uninjured.

John J. Keller has accepted a position with I. Rudee & Co. to represent them in several of the largest towns of the county. He will take orders for the company and the goods will be delivered free to any part of the county. n2tf

Caprice, play of Class of 1901.

Supervisor C. P. Smith had business in the metropolis last Saturday.

C. Hofman has the most select line of Carpet, Linoleum and Wall Paper and Window Shades. Give him a call. n9

S. S. Hayslett was in from Comptche Tuesday. He presented this office with a splendid specimen of an apple that grew on his place. Surely Comptche is a great fruit belt.

Thanksgiving play, Caprice.

J. J. Murphy, of Laytonville, and Mathew Edwards, of Echo, were among the visitors to the county seat this week.

Clem Heryford and J. E. Singley were over from Boonville this week courting.

Joe Robinson and wife are over from Albion on a visit.

J. J. Murphy, of Laytonville, was a pleasant caller at this office last Tuesday and renewed for the DISPATCH. Mr. Murphy reports everything in good condition in his section of county.

Fail not to hear the play by the High School pupils on Thanksgiving Eve. o26t5

F. W. Youree passed thru town the latter part of last week en route to Covelo after a brief visit to 'Frisco.

D. M. Lowe was among the Hopland visitors to the county seat last Saturday.

Mrs. Hachl and daughter Rosa were down from Willits Saturday.

To remove a troublesome corn or bunion: First soak the corn or bunion in warm water to soften it, then pare it down as closely as possible without drawing blood and apply Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice daily; rubbing vigorously for five minutes at each application. A corn plaster should be worn for a few days, to protect it from the shoe. As a general liniment for sprains, bruises, lameness and rheumatism, Pain Balm is unequaled. For sale by all dealers.

Caprice, Thanksgiving night.

Caprice by Class of 1901.

Orrin Hall was down from Calpella the first of the week attending to business and greeting old friends.

W. C. Stoughton, the Laytonville merchant, was in town this week looking after business interests.

There was born to the wife of J. A. Lane, of Calpella, on October 28th, a son.

A. H. Ewert, Ukiah's popular jeweler, has opened a branch store in Willits, Henry Keller being in charge. Mr. Ewert is enterprising and progressive and thoroly understands his business.

Mrs. Minnie Scott (nee Smith), of Greenwood, visited friends and relatives in town a few days lastweek.

J. D. Jamison, of Redwood, has had business in town for a few days this week.

The hotels and livery stables have been crowded this week, many people being in town attending court.

Charley Ellis and sister Nora went over to Lakeport last week on a short visit.

Supervisors John Flanagan and Sam Duncan have been in town attending to their duties on the board. Both gentlemen are in excellent spirits and are "good" losers. Both have made faithful officers and retire with the respect of all.

The class 1901, U. H. S., will give a drama on Thanksgiving Eve. Every body invited. o26t5

W. F. Cummings, of Blue Rock, was down from his ranch Saturday.

J. C. Kinslow, the Santa Rosa tombstone man was circulating among our business men last week.

In the issue of November 2nd, a correspondent writing under the nom de plume of Redwood Bill intimated that Judge Mannon was the proprietor of the Press. The Judge in an interview with a representative of the DISPATCH states that he does not now own said paper. This statement is made in justice to all parties concerned.

Joseph Bishop was over from Point Arena Monday.

Mrs. Zerelda James, the widow of Jesse James, the noted guerilla of Missouri and the Kansas border, died at Kansas city on the 13th inst. Mrs. James was with her husband when he was deliberately assassinated by Bob Ford in April, 1881.

Fresh figs, fresh raisins, fresh date, fresh currents, fresh citron, fresh nuts and candy at Roth & Hix's. n16t3

Buy Roth & Hix's best grade of groceries. They are money back goods; give them a trial and you will want no other. n16t3

The holidays are coming and you will want to make a present. What is nicer than a real nice photograph? Come to us and we will make you one. Stuart & Van Burkleo, next door to DISPATCH office, School St.

Frank Fairbands, of Manchester, was on duty as a trial juror this week.

Andy Hensley was down from Willits Wednesday.

Rev. Will Acton and wife arrived Wednesday from Lakeport to attend the League Chnference.

The lecture of Dr. Wm. Rader will be given at the Presbyterian church on about December 9th and the subject will be "John and Jonathan", meaning thereby England and America. Dr. Rader returned from England only a few weeks ago.

The Georgia minstrels played to one of the largest houses at Marks' Opera House last Monday evening that has ever greeted a company in this city. The performance was entirely satisfactory.

ADAM

ADAM SARSAPARILLA PILLS CHOCOLATE COATED VERY SMALL

(TRADE MARK-REGISTERED.)

Fac-Simile Wrapper GENUINE Must have this Signature C. R. Adams

CURE SICK HEADACHE

CONSTIPATION, BILIOUSNESS, DYSPEPSIA,

PURIFY THE BLOOD.

10¢, 25¢ Druggists or by Mail ADAMS Co. S.F.Cal.

ADAMS

The loss in the J. P. Lowe fire has been adjusted satisfactorily and paid in full by the Insurance Company.

Miss Della English is visiting friends in San Francisco.

Haney English went to San Francisco yesterday on a business trip.

Vane Rogers came down from Willits Sunday, paid his parents a brief visit and then proceeded to the city on a week's vacation. He was accompanied from here by his brother Harry of the DISPATCH force who went down to take in the sights.

General James F. Smith who left San Francisco in 1898 for Manila as Colonel of the 1st California Volunteers, and who was afterward appointed a Brigadier General, has just been appointed by the President to be Collector of Customs at Manila.

Go to the race track Friday and Saturday nights and see Prof. Wyckoff, the human devil, walk in a burning mass of fire and flame.

A. McDonald, of Comptche, was at the Palace Wednesday.

Miss Deborah Lobree, of Middletown, Lake Co., sister of A. Lobree of this city is visiting Mrs. C. Hofman and other relatives here.

A Great Medicine.

"I have used Chamberlain's Cholic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and find it to be a great medicine," says Mr. E. S. Phipps, of Poteau, Ark. "It cured me of bloody flux, I cannot speak too highly of it." This remedy always wins the good opinion, if not praise, of those who use it. The quick cures which it effects even in the most severe cases make it a favorite everywhere. For sale by all dealers.

Notice

The jewelry store of the late Emile Joseph will continue business as in the past under the management of P. H. Joseph. n16

CASTORIA.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Every Line of Especial Interest to Our Readers.

Kirtley & Sanford are now prepared to list lands and town property for sale or rent. Office in DISPATCH Building, Ukiah. tf

FOR SALE—160 acres of land in Redwood valley. 10 acres in cultivation. Some improvements. Price $500. Somebody get a bargain quick. Kirtley & Sanford, Agents.

Young men desiring a thoro, practical business education should attend the San Francisco Business College. tf

The latest patterns in wall paper at Nuckolls'.

Encourage the young seekers after education by attending the production of "Caprice." o26t5

Do you want a good business? We offer to sell you a livery and feed stable in the heart of a thriving town for $2,500. It is a good stand and a paying business. Call or write for particulars.

No. 34. KIRTLEY & SANFORD,
tf Real Estate Agents, Ukiah.

Subscribers are requested to pay up every year, for that is long enough time in which to pay a bill of only $2.50. *

Kirtley & Sanford, Real Estate and Insurance Agents, will attend to paying taxes for non-residents. Information furnished. Office in DISPATCH Building, Ukiah, Cal. tf

Insure your property in the Home Insurance Company of New York. Losses promptly paid. Kirtley & Sanford, agents. tf

Read what the San Francisco Business College says on page 7. jyf

We have for sale in Little Lake Valley, a good ranch of 160 acres, 50 acres in cultivation, balance good pasture. Good 5 room dwelling, barn and sheds and other necessary improvements. Plenty water. 1¼ miles from Willits. Price $2,500.

No. 33, KIRTLEY & SANFORD,
tf Real Estate Agents, Ukiah.

The Grand runs free buss to and from all trains. All stages leave this house. j23tf

Get Miller's three-seated surrey for funerals. tf

FOR SALE—Single delivery wagon and harness. Both in good condition. Enquire of Marvin Luce. a13

Nature's Cure.

Will cure Liver complaint, Dispepsia, Indigestion, and all Bowel and Stomach troubles. For sale by the trade.

J. R. MATHEWS, Agent,
Ukiah.
W. P. TURNER, Pacific Coast Agent,
j29-tf Caspar, Cal.

For Sale or Trade.

A six room house and two lots in Wagonseller addition. Lots 75 feet front and 185 feet deep; 100 ft. on back. Will trade for property in or outside of county. Apply to Kirtley & Sanford.

For Sale.

Seven hundred head of stock cattle. Cows, yearlings, two-year-olds and calves, in one lot or lots to suit. Address, Adolph Ordway, Central House, Butte Co., Cal. o26t4

For Sale.

Two very fine ranches, designated as Nos. 28 and 29 in our display ad in this paper. Read the descriptions and come and see us. The man who gets one of these ranches at the prices given will be lucky.

KIRTLEY & SANFORD, Agents.
tf Ukiah, Cal

For Rent

A fine ranch of nearly 800 acres near Ukiah. Part farming land and part hill range. Farming tools on ranch go with it. Cash rent. Plenty wood on place. Apply to Kirtley & Sanford, at this office.

Wanted

At this office, 4 or 5 cords of 18 inch dry wood and 2 or 3 cords of 14 inch wood.

A CHOICE HOME—¾ mile from Ukiah, for sale cheap. 10 acres, all improved; 150 to 200 trees which bear annually 16 tons of pears; 2 acres garden, 5 acres alfalfa land. Price $2,500. A fine surburban home. No. 37. Kirtley & Sanford, Agents.

Superior Court.

The trial term of the Superior Court opened Monday afternoon. A jury was impanelled to try the case of Felt vs. Boyles, on appeal from Justice Critchfield's court. The plaintiff sued for a balance claimed to be due on wages. The jury in the lower court brot in a verdict for plaintiff for the full amount claimed, but the jury on Monday reversed that verdict.

On Tuesday morning the case of Philip Marks vs. Chas. Sladky and H. L. Zeek was taken up and a motion by defendant to add the names of Solomon and Sarah Marks as parties and to allow them to file a cross complaint was denied. Seawell & Pemberton represent the plaintiff and J. L. McNab the defendant.

On Tuesday afternoon Judge Augelotti, of Marin county, presided and the case of The Town of Ukiah City vs. Ukiah Water & Improvement Co. was taken up for trial and a jury was impanelled. City Attorney J. C. Ruddock was assisted in the prosecution by Seawell & Pemberton and McGarvey & Bledsoe appeared for the defense. This case grew out of the fire of July 16, 1899, in which property of the city to the value of $570.75 was destroyed, as is claimed on account of the negligence of the water company in shutting off the water at the reservoir. The defense claimed that the company is not an insurer against loss by fire and cannot be held liable. In the admission of documentary evidence Judge Augelotti's rulings were mostly in favor of the prosecution. The defense made strenuous objections to the introduction of any testimony unless a specific contract in writing should first be proven. The court overruled all these objections. After the documentary evidence, showing the terms of the franchise, ordidances, payment, by the city, of bills for water etc. oral evidence showing the facts concerning the fire was introduced.

About 10 o'clock a. m. Thursday the prosecution rested, and defendant made and argued a motion for a non-suit, on the ground that no contract to furnish water under pressure for the extinguishment of fires had been proven. The prosecution replied, claiming proof of such a contract, under the terms of the franchise; by regular payments made by the city and accepted by the company, and also as implied by all the circumstances. The motion for a non-suit was denied.

Of Interest to Water Consumers.

On October 26th. the Supreme Court of this State filed an opinion in the case of T. A. Crow vs. San Joaquin and King's River Canal and Irrigation Company, which is of interest to all purchasers of water and supplying companies or corporations. The gist of the decision is that no matter how much a consumer may owe for water furnished him in the past, his water supply cannot be shut off or refused for the future, provided he tenders payment for a future supply at the established rate.

A refusal by the Company to supply water upon such tender of payment, subjects the Company to payment of damages to the party applying for water. The measure of damages is the difference between the rental value of the property affected, with and without water. This sustains the decision of the Superior Court and may be considered as established law.

Large Fruit Shipments.

During the fiscal year ending October 31st, 17, 829 cars of citrus fruits were shipped from southern California, of which about 2000 cars were lemons. By November 5th the movement of the new crop will have fairly begun, and probably 3000 cars will be shipped East for the holiday trade. The estimates for the coming season vary between 20, 000 and 30, 000 cars. Eight hundred and fifty to eleven hundred cars of celery will be shipped this season, a against seven hundred and fif· ·l season.

Tonight and Tomorrow Night

Prof. Wyckoff

The Human Devil

Walks in a burning mass of fire and flame, the greatest wonder on earth

UKIAH RACE TRACK

15c ADMISSION 25c

How to Make Chili Sauce.

Chop one peck of ripe tomatoes, five green peppers and nine large onions and add to them four teaspoons of salt, one teaspoon of cloves, one tablespoon of cinnamon, one tablespoon of allspice, one and one-half tablespoons of white sugar, four cups of vinegar. Stir the mixture thoroughly and let it boil two and one-half hours, stirring it frequently to prevent scorching.

How to Make Prune Jelly.

Take one quart of prunes, stir until soft and mash through colander; half a box of gelatin; put in bowl, cover with cold water, let it soak for about five minutes; take a pint and a half of the mashed prunes, add to the gelatin, with three tablespoonfuls of sugar; put on the stove, and let boil for five minutes; pour into jelly molds and serve with cream.

How to Broil Oysters.

Rub the bars of a wire broiler with a little sweet butter, dry 12 large, plump oysters in a napkin and place them on the broiler, brush a little butter over them and broil over a fire free from flame and smoke. Pour a little melted, well seasoned butter over them and arrange on crisp lettuce between two slices of toast.

A Country Lass,

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Cornelius Crowley, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at his office in Ukiah, Cal., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated October 18th, 1900. o19

JOHN TAYLOR, Administrator.
WHITE & THOMAS, Attorneys for Estate.

Order To Show Cause On Application To Lease Property.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Cooper, Deceased.

Mrs. Delitha Cooper, the Administratrix of the Estate of Thomas Cooper, deceased, having on the 18th day of October, 1900, filed in this Court her petition in due form, verified by oath, praying for an order of this Court authorizing the said administratrix to lease to Thomas J. Cooper the real property belonging to said estate, consisting of about 1500 acres of land near Pieta, in Mendocino County, California, and the 600 sheep belonging to said estate, now on said ranch, for the period of one year from November 1st, 1900, for the sum of $500 00, in cash, and $100.00 additional, in labor upon the said premises, to be paid as specified in said petition now on file in this Court, to which petition all parties are referred for further particulars:

It is Therefore Ordered by the said Court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before said Superior Court on Monday, the 5th day of November, 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court Room of said Superior Court, at the Court House in the City of Ukiah, County of Mendocino, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administratrix to lease said real estate and said sheep, as prayed for, and that a copy of this order be published in the DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT, a newspaper printed and published in said County, at least two weeks before the said 5th day of November, 1900, the date of the hearing of said petition.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1900.

J. M. MANNON, Judge.
W. P. THOMAS, Attorney for Administrator.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Mrs. W. M. Gordon, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at his office in Westport, Cal., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated November 10th, 1900.

WM. DUNN,
n16 Administrator.
WHITE & THOMAS, Attorneys for Administrator.

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$10,000—560 acres farm and stock ranch. Good 2 story house, 18 acres in hops, 25 acres good farming land, 320 acres best Redwood timber, balance pasture. Good barns and sheds, complete hop house, fine well and plenty running water. Choice family orchard. Half cash. No. 25

$1,750—Nice modern cottage and roomy, lot most conveniently situated in Ukiah City. House one story brick foundation, seven commodious hard finished rooms and bath room, patent closet, everything in good repair. Lot well fenced, with out buildings. This is a most desirable property. No. 26.

$1,000—160 acres finest fruit land, on coast, good house, barn and other outbuildings. 2½ miles from busy town, near school. Well watered and timbered. Just the place for man of limited means who desires an ideal home. No. 27.

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FROM OVER THE COUNTY.

Our Regular Contributions to Mendocino's History.

Personal Notes and News in General as Chronicled by Our Reporters.

Communicated.

FORT BRAGG, November 12th.

EDITOR DISPATCH:

Altho I am a Republican, and have voted the Republican ticket pretty straight ever since the organization of the party, I take quite an interest in you personally. In your early school teaching days I happened to live in a neighborhood where you taught and I grew to like you. I have watched your course with a good deal of pleasure, and tho opposed to you politically, I have not been sorry to note your successes, tho in the political arena they have been against my own party. You are young, and have a long future before you. I am old, and may be said to have gained some degree of what is called worldly wisdom from experience and observation. Altho I would be blamed by the politicians of my party, my personal interest in you prompts me to tender you some advice and to point out an error you commited in the campaign just closed. First you took it for granted that more than half the people of this country, still believed in applying the doctrines of the Constitution and the Declaration of Independence to all affairs with which we have to do as a nation. You fought it out on that line, forgetting that the leadership of the Republican party has never allowed these ancient documents to restrain them when party interest was at stake.

Expediency, within the limits of party safety has always been our guide. For instance, your history will tell you that during the civil war we thot an income tax expedient. We passed the necessary law and our Supreme Court sustained its constitutionality. It served its purpose and we then repealed it. Later on, a Democratic administration concluded that an income tax was not only expedient, but was based on principles of equity. In the meantime vast fortunes had been accumilated, under the fostering care of previous Republican administrations, by many of the best friends of our party, and they objected to a renewal of that mode of taxation. Laying aside the question of equity we relied upon expediency and induced the Supreme Court to decide the law unconstitutional. So you see that the constitution can easily be made to conform to expediency in our internal affairs, when properly handled in the interest of those who render faithful party service. From your editorial utterances you seem to have imbibed, thru some musty tradition, the idea that the constitution and Declaration of Independence contemplate a form of government under which all men are equal in rights and priveleges. The Republican leaders, always progressive, learned very early in their party experience, that while that doctrine was well enough in the formative period of our government, when inequalities of fortune were infrequent, and when our broad domain offered opportunities to all, they observed, as time went on, that it became necessary to apply to men of wealth for aid to sustain party supremacy.

Th common people sometimes showed a disposition to think for themselves. In order to hold the friendship and obtain the assistance of men of wealth, it became expedient to afford them opportunities to become still richer. Thus our leaders realized the necessity for an alliance with a class, which would always be ready to respond with finances and influence when their privileges should be attacked. This we accomplished thru our tariff and banking laws. In this year's campaign you argued with some force, that the administration's course with regard to the Philippines did not square rightly with the constitution and Declaration of Independence. No doubt you were sincere in the belief, and were, in a measure correct, but you failed to perceive that in this case expediency became paramount to fundamental law. From the very nature o the case the opportunity to bring further emoluments to the ruling class could not be slighted, because upon the support of that class depended party Supremacy.

Young man you ought to have observed these things sooner. It might have saved you some waste of energy. Take an old man's advice and be not too closely wedded to the doctrine of human rights and equality. They are good enough upon occasion, but they are not always convenient to the class which controls in elections. Wishing you personal success, I am yours truly. REPUBLICAN.

[The above was not written for publication, and we therefore omit the name of the writer for obvious reasons. We thank our friend for his kindly interest, but shall continue in the faith of the Fathers of the Republic, trusting that in the end a majority of our fellow-citizens will see the right as we understand it—ED.]

GUALALA NEWS.

GUALALA, November 11.

Election is over and everything is settled down in peace.

The mill boys made an agreement to give a grand ball in honor of the President elect. The agreement was drawn up two weeks before election and the affair was to be a Bryan ball if he was elected and a McKinley ball if he was the lucky man; so, according to agreement, a McKinley ball was given Saturday evening, and was one of the grandest affairs that has ever taken place in our little burg and something that will be remembered for generations to come. Democrats and Republicans joined together to make it a success. There were 50 couple in attendance. Brushey Opening, Fish Rock and Point Arena were well represented. Messrs. Scott and Phillips of Point Arena furnished the music. They danced until the wee hours of morning, and then all went home wishing McKinley a good and prosperous administration.

There is to be a new mayor appointed here soon to fill the unexpired term of Jas. Cole, who resigned last week and emigrated to the city. There are several aspirants, republicans of course, among whom are Ed Wetherbee, Joe Borden, Colman James and Geo. Williams. It is hard to tell who will be the lucky one, but Murphy thinks Williams has the lead for he is rough and ready for a hard scratch.

We understand that Ed Howard intends to start a kindergarten school here soon. Success to you, Ed.

Thos. Lamoine, of Albion, is quite a sport since he came here—or, should say, quite a lady's man.

Will close this epistle, hoping you valley people have a good crop of squirrels and we coasters have plenty of abalones; then we'll all have a "full dinner pail". MURPHY.

Irrigation Congress.

The National Irrigation Congress which will meet at Chicago, Illinois, November 21, 22, 23 and 24 is creating wide interest and promises to be an unusual success. The national irrigation movement has become a broad popular movement and eastern commercial interests have readily taken hold of the idea of reclaiming and populating the arid west and thus creating a great home market for their goods.

The best authorities on irrigation and forestry have been secured to speak and give illustrated lectures, and men of national fame and renown as orators and statesmen, will address the Congress at the great Auditorium theatre on subjects of national interest to the West.

Under the constitution of the Congress the mayor of each city of 25,000 or less population is entitled to appoint two delegates, while cities of greater population are entitled to four delegates. Each agricultural college, organized irrigation, agricultural and horticultural association, each society of engineers, irrigation company and each board of trade and chamber of commerce is also entitled to two delegates.

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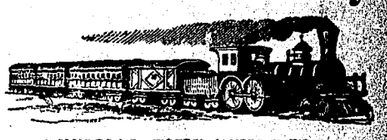

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LEAVE UKIAH		EFFECTIVE April 15, 1900	ARRIVE UKIAH	
Week-days.	Sun-days	To and From	Sun-days.	Week-days.
5:25 am 1:20 pm	2:15 pm	San Francisco San Rafael Petaluma Santa Rosa Healdsburg Lytton Cloverdale and Intermediates	1:15PM	12:30PM 8:35PM
5:25 am 1:20 pm	2:15 pm	Glen Ellen Sonoma and Intermediates	1:15PM	12:30PM 8:35PM
5:25 am 1:20 pm	2:15 pm	Sebastopol and Intermediates	1:15PM	12:30PM 8:35PM
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